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TONIGHT LAWRENCE D'ORSAY 'EARL OF PAWTUCKET'

GRAIN COMING IN SLOWLY TO THE ELEVATORS

Farmers Anxious To Get Threshing Done Before Hauling To Market

That grain of this year's vintage is coming in rather slowly as yet is the report from the various elevators located here, but what there is, is of excellent quality, all grading Nos. 1, 2 or 3, which are contract grades. According to a careful estimate there have been approximately 200,000 bushels marketed here at the elevators and shipped out by carlots, but as yet the hauling has not commenced in earnest.

The delay in getting the grain to the elevators is largely due to the fact that farmers are very anxious to get their threshing done before they get on to the roads to do their hauling, and as threshing is rather late in places where the heaviest crops were harvested, there has been little or no hauling from these places. Mayville, for instance, has brought very little grain to the elevators this year, nor has there much come from Gen Colony yet. From across the river there has not much come in yet, not in the expected amount, as the farmers, from that district seem to take more time to a shorter haul to Dueson or Coumont.

It is also expected that much grain this year will go to Hanna, as the elevators there will this year be able to handle more of the outside grain owing to the fact that the crops in the immediate vicinity of Hanna did not quite come up to expectations. Last year it will be remembered that point was clogged with grain, but it is expected this year will be different this year.

Almost all the grain from the immediate vicinity of Bassano is reported to grade No. 1, but that from farther out, while being contract grades, will not be of as good quality as the close-in grain. The elevator men anticipate that the bulk of the grain hauling will be done along about the middle of November.

E. Poul of the Chicago Hatch Co., hauled into town on Tuesday a carload of grain grading No. 1, which netted him \$2500, and as this company has close on to 15,000 bushels of the same grade of grain, it can easily be estimated that a good profit will be made from the crop of this year from that farm.

FOR A LITTLE TOBACCO

The Mail has this week hung up on the wall in its office a subscription list for the Calgary Herald Tobacco Fund, and asks all who feel so inclined to drop in and jot down their names for a two-bit or larger subscription to this worthy cause, or if you like send the cash in and the editor will jot down the name and amount himself.

Already one name has been placed on the list for the sum of \$2.00, and this will provide Christmas smokes for one of the local boys in the trenches. The boys will appreciate a little reminder in some such shape that the folks at home are thinking of them, and doubtless it will add to their fighting spirit to know that they are sacrificing themselves for friends who think of them.

Blanche Sweet at the Gem in "The Clue"



LIGHT IS NEEDED BADLY

Farmers hauling grain to the elevators here are complaining of the absence of a light at the elevators, and since there has been several runaways of late costing the individuals in some cases a little money, it might seem that there is some justification in their complaint.

Those having a long haul to the elevators almost of necessity arrive here after dark, and with four, six or eight up there usually is much uncoupling and hitching up again to be done. In the darkness this, of course, would probably be accompanied by some little inconvenience, if not danger. A light at the elevators would obviate any chance of accidents owing to darkness.

Whether it is the business of the town to provide this light or whether the elevators should take care of this, is not the business of The Mail to determine, but at the least it would be a most gracious act and one much appreciated by the grain haulers, if the town would undertake to furnish a light at this most important point. We are given to understand that the pole is there and the connection could be made and the lamp placed there at very little expense.

The matter would at least be worthy of the consideration of the Council.

MUST SEE CHARLIE

Charlie Chaplin, that prince of film comedians, is scheduled to be shown on the screen at the Gem Theatre on Monday and Tuesday in that excellently funny comedy "Tillie's Punctured Romance."

This comedy has to do with a young girl from the country, who falls in with a city chap and is married for her money. All sorts of complications ensue in which accidents, arrests and touches of high Charlie Chaplin will take all the funny roles and they will doubtless be supremely funny.

DOING GOOD WORK

The Red Cross Society of Hutton met at the residence of Mrs. F. H. Lloyd recently. The meeting was well attended, being the first meeting since July. We went adonation of \$30.00 to the Xmas stocking fund and shipment of sewing amounting to \$22.00.

The same officers were elected for the ensuing year. The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in November at J. W. Forsters at 2 p. m.

Jessie M. Kemp
Sec. Treas.

The fellow who never attends a council meeting can tell you just what the council ought to do;

WITCHES WERE ABROAD

Witches in white sheets were abroad on Tuesday night, which was Halloween night, but they were all good witches and indulged in no mysterious mischief that did any harm to anyone. A few innocent pranks were played, and as the night was dark, save for a pale moon, the witches got away with these pranks.

A Halloween ball was given in the Robinson Hall that night, the original of which itself was more or less of a mystery, although the boys got it up to keep themselves out of mischief. About twenty couples attended this affair.

WILL RAFFLE GUN

Still another raffle is to be announced this week for the Patriotic Fund, and this time a very useful souvenir of the war is to be raffled off to the lucky winner. Some time ago it will be remembered the name of Dr. Deane Douglas appeared in these columns as being killed in action.

The gun which served him during his campaign has been shipped home to his father, C. L. Douglas, from the front, and Mr. Douglas has donated this to the Patriotic Fund to be raffled off. The raffle tickets are in the hands of E. G. Paddon who announces that they are now on sale, and the raffle will take place at his store on Thursday afternoon, November 30th. Tickets are \$1.00 each.

SELECTED FOR NOMINATION

At a convention of the Liberal-Conservative Association held in the town hall on Saturday afternoon last E. F. Purcell was selected for nomination to oppose Hon. Charles R. Mitchell in the coming election, whenever that may be.

It was the consensus of opinion of the convention that while no dates had as yet been set for the election, it would be as well for the Association to indulge in a little "preparation" and not be caught napping.

CAUSES MUCH COMMENT

No little stir has been caused in trading and political circles by the jump of Manitoba wheat to \$1 1/2 shillings a quarter, as compared with 73 1/2 shillings on Oct. 1, when merchant stocks were taken over by the government wheat commission.

Allegations are freely made that the rise goes far beyond the ordinary operation of the law with regard to supply and demand, and that, in fact, the purchasing methods of the British government have played into the hands of the food conspirators. Experts explain that this rise is chiefly due to the fact that the government has made large purchases privately, but sold little, consequently the millers' stocks have been dwindling. "What wheat has been offered has been eagerly bought at advancing prices."

EVERYTHING GOING UP

Everything is going up, even the price of bread. Mrs. J. C. Lee wishes to announce that owing to the rise in the prices of flour and other commodities used in bread making, that hereafter the retail price of bread will be 10 cts. a loaf instead of three leaves for 25 cts as heretofore.

TO CATCH THE TRAINS

On Sunday last October 29th, the winter time table of the C.P.R. came into effect, and if you don't want to wait an hour or so for your train or miss it altogether, it would be as well to study the time table as it is in effect now.

Nos. 13 and 14 have been taken off altogether, and Nos. 1 and 2 now arrive here at 1:31 and 4:57 in the morning respectively. No. 3 now gets here at 11:55 a.m. and 2 o'clock in the afternoon. No. 4 from Calgary will arrive at 6:16. The Empress caterpillar leaves here at 7:30 in the morning Mondays and Thursdays, and gets back Tuesdays and Fridays at 6:45 p.m. The Irian local leaves Wednesday and Saturdays at 7:30 in the morning and gets back at 8 o'clock the same nights.

STRIKING SOUVENIR

One of the most striking souvenirs of the great war that has ever reached town, has been received by Mr. Wilson from his son Lyon.

This souvenir is a German belt to which is attached buttons and crests taken from the uniforms of a large number of private and officers of regiments and battalions of the Allies. The belt which is plastered with buttons and badges, has apparently been taken from some German prisoner of war by Mr. Wilson's son, and the badges have probably been looted by the German prisoners from the uniforms of dead soldiers. Among the buttons and badges are a number from the uniforms of dead Canadian soldiers, including Winnipeg regiments.

The fellow who pays the least taxes kicks the hardest.

BE A BOOSTER

Do you know there's lots of people

Setting round in every town,

Growing like a broody chicken

Knockin' every good thing down?

Don't you be that kind of grouch,

Cause they ain't no use on earth,

You just be a booster rooster

Crow and boost for all you're worth.

If your town needs boostin', boost 'er.

Don't hold back and wait to see

If some other fellow's willin'.

Sail right in, this country's free.

No one's got a mortgage on it;

Its just yours as much as his;

If your town is shy on boosters,

You get in the boosting biz.

If things just don't seem to suit you,

And the world seems kind wrong,

What's the matter with a boostin'

Just to help the thing along,

'Cause if things should stop again

We'd be in a sorry plight,

You just keep that horn a-blowin'-

Boost 'er up with all your might.

If you know some fellow's failin'

Just forget 'em cause you know

That the same chap's got some good points,

Them's the ones you want to show.

'Cast your leaves out on the waters,

They'll come back," a saying true,

Mebe, too, they'll come back "battered"

When some feller boosts for you,

MISS T. MUIR TO GIVE RECITAL ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Will Be Assisted By Miss O'Brien
An Elucutionist From
Calgary

On Wednesday, November 8th, Miss Thielsa Muir will give a piano recital at the Gem Theatre, and all music lovers will be given a rare treat. Miss Muir is said to be a very accomplished musician, as the following criticism of a concert recently given in Medicine Hat will show:

The Oddfellows' Hall was the scene of a most enjoyable musical event last Monday evening, when Miss Thielsa Muir gave a piano recital under the auspices of the Saturday Music Club.

This was Miss Muir's first public appearance since her graduation from the Toronto Conservatory of Music, and a great many of her friends were present as well as all those who are lovers of good music.

The recital was the opening event of the season for the Saturday Music Club, and it is hoped many others of a similar nature will be given by the club during the coming winter.

The programme opened with the National Anthem, after which a very fine piano selection was rendered by Miss Muir. These selections were "Thine and Variations, Op. 34," by Beethoven, which was given in a manner that was both artistic and impressive.

Miss Frea O'Brien, of Calgary, who assisted, followed with a very fine reading, taken from "The Cricket on the Hearth," by Dickens. Miss O'Brien proved herself to be a reader of exceptional merit and won her hearers at the very beginning.

Three numbers from Chopin, Etude Op. 25 No. 3, Etude Op. 25 No. 4, and Nocturne Op. 9 No. 2, were next given by Miss Muir. These selections gave ample scope for the wonderful technique and brilliancy of touch of the pianist, and were given to great favour with the audience. Scherzo No. 4 from Brahms, followed, and was rendered in a most pleasing and artistic style.

The different piano numbers closed gave the pianist an excellent opportunity to display a variety of tones and shadings, which gave evidence of her ability and finished style, as well as her thorough mastery of the piano.

A humorous reading taken from Montgomery's "Chronicles of Anne" was received most enthusiastically by the audience. Miss O'Brien was applauded heartily and responded with a short selection in ragtime ditty, which proved to be a very clever and original. Miss O'Brien delighted all with her clever interpretation of the various readings given.

The Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1, by Liszt was well selected as a closing number, serving as a suitable climax to the preceding selection. Miss Muir excelled herself in giving this composition, which was followed by a short octave study as an encore.

The playing of "O Canada" concluded the programme.

During the evening Miss Muir and Miss O'Brien were presented with two beautiful bouquets, the former receiving a lovely bunch of pink and white roses, while the latter was the recipient of a large cluster of yellow "mums". The platform of the hall was decorated with palms and a large Union Jack, while a large bunch of flowers was added to the effect. Members of the club acted as ushers for the recital.

A NEW MAP

There has just been issued by the Department of the Interior a new edition of the "Land and Pre-emption" map which gives useful and interesting information, corrected to a recent date, with regard to the land situation and the pre-emption and purchase homestead areas throughout the three Western provinces.

Figures in green show at a glance the number of quarter-sections in each township that are still available for homestead entry, also the area within which pre-emption sections may be pre-empted. Boundaries of Dominion Land and Indian Reserves are also clearly shown. All townships have been surveyed and are shown in a distinctive blue coloring.

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The Songs of the Jutland Battle

"I went down and laid out my instruments, thinking there might be some wounded, and placed my lute and bagpipes handily by me."

P. J. Journal of Great Britain.

—whose ship was sunk in the battle of Jutland—in a recent issue of the "P. J. Journal of Great Britain."

"However, very soon I was called up on deck, for we had no wounded, and all through the battle I was watching shells from the hill to the guns. You think you're brave till you are men fighting. The commander stood on the bridge, smoking his pipe, a most beside him with a megaphone to call out his orders. His eyes were fixed on that once—above, around, below. The men sang 'Tippecanoe' as they manned the guns, and you could hear the stokers singing 'Keep the Home Fires Burning' as they shovelled on the coal below, when the fearful noise of the guns was so close to anything. After a time our ship was badly hit, and heeled over."

Hubby Took Periodicals

"Do you take any periodicals?" asked the minister on his first round on parish visit.

"Well, I don't," replied the woman, "but my husband takes 'em frequent. I do wish you try to get him into the pledge."—New York Sun.

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About Heligoland

Germany's Naval Base a Haven of Refuge for Pursued Vessels

In 1890 Heligoland was formally ceded to Germany in return for concessions made to Britain in regard to the growth of the German North Sea was taken from the Danes by the British in 1867 and made a depot for British merchant ships. It remained for 83 years in the possession of Great Britain and then was ceded to Germany in 1890, since which time it has been strongly fortified and is now the base for the German fleet.

Heligoland, situated 28 miles northwest of the mouth of the Elbe, consists of a steep, rocky plateau with a strip of firm sand at its southern end. The laws are the old Prussian laws. No foreign ships are allowed to anchor in the harbor. The island is a tongue, but German is currently spoken. The island is a strip of land and muscular race of hardy seamen, simple and primitive in their habits and holding land-liner in contempt. The merchant class consists of immigrants from Hamburg and other places on the mainland, or their descendants. As an advanced naval base, it has been made great use of by the German navy during the present war. Heligoland has been the scene of large tracts of country having been reclaimed by the sea level. D. 700 and the end of the 17th century. The island was first captured by agents here had been at work which have reduced the area of the island to a small strip of land. Heligoland was once a great sea power. It was once a great sea power. It was once a great sea power.

"Did you meet any nice men while you were out?"

"Yes, yes, lots of them."

"Lots of them? There aren't that many in the whole world."—Detroit Free Press.

Mrs. Bloom: Do you find it more economical to do your own cooking?"

Mr. Bloom: Oh, yes, my husband doesn't eat half as much as he did

The Market Report

Weekly Grain Letter Supplied by Randall, G & Mitchell, Ltd., Winnipeg

There is one feature of the present wheat situation that is of the utmost importance, and the one that, undoubtedly, is the cause for the present strength of the market at the high level. It is to be noted that this incentive of the advance the situation has grown steadily more bullish. This is a development out of the ordinary, as it is rarely being discovered after the agitation has died and the market has been compared with the actual outcome that the case exaggerated conditions. No one can say that in the case this season, for it can be said that the run of years which affected crop production is still favorable to high prices. Whatever influences have entered into the trade calculations are influences that are based on the possibility of the world's supply of bread stuffs being augmented by the Russian surplus, and the successful military operations of the Entente Powers.

The foundation of the present bull market was laid, of course, in the heavy winter loss in the soft wheat states. At that time, the liberality of the market's carry over from the previous 1915 harvest was a drag on any possible market recovery. It was then when the statistical position of the wheat hung heavily on the market. Importers had the most confidence of obtaining adequate supplies and felt that they had the advantage in the market.

It was the great heat wave of July and its heavy toll of the spring wheat that gave the real impetus to the bull market. The winter harvest was moderate, and on the top of this, the most unfavorable Northwest harvest. From that time on, the developments have been to the reduction of the world's wheat production. The yield in the United States was only a small one to serve above the country's needs, and the crop was not available for export even with the carry over of last season, is small when the conditions governing the international market are taken into account. The latest reports from the United States show a small shrinkage from expectations, and the news from the other supplying countries do not suggest at all the better than ordinary yields.

It is not expected that importing countries will increase their production to the abnormal extent of the year that prevail. In fact, the reports are unfavorable. The requirements for exporters will be large this season and exporting countries in the aggregate will be far less to give this year. Whether prices have fully risen to the extraordinary situation is a matter of debate between the bulls and the bears. The situation has not been exaggerated.

Warts on the hands is a disfigurement that troubles many ladies. Hot towels, Corn Cure will remove the warts without pain.

Mickley: Old chap, didn't your better judgment tell you not to make that investment?

Olga: No, my better judgment never tells me anything until after the game and made a fool of myself.

Popularity of Autos

The report of the U.S. Department of Agriculture shows that there were 1,000,000 motor cars in the United States on December 31, 1915, as compared with 500,000 in 1914. While the figures may be somewhat exaggerated, it is compared with a comparison of license statistics in the various states, they are near enough to give some idea of the growth of the motor industry. The total gross value of the motor cars in the United States is given as \$18,245,713, of which practically 90 per cent is available for export. Before this time it would be appreciated what a heavy burden the motor car industry has been, and is.

The increased use of automobiles has been a great factor in the development of the motor car industry in Canada during the past two years is one of the wonders of the trade.

Minard's Liniment Relieves Neuralgia

Wonderful Aerial Feet

Military Airman in London Shows Extraordinary Developments in Aviation

Extraordinary developments in aviation under war pressure were shown in a performance given recently at the Royal Albert Hall, in the neighborhood of London for Londoners. The performance was given by Lieutenant Robinson, V.C., located destroying the German air force. The performer in question has been a member of the Royal Air Force for a long time, and his big airplane does some wonderful things. It is a machine of great speed, and it is a machine of great speed, and it is a machine of great speed.

The flight of aeroplanes over London, which was once illegal, owing to the possibility of being used for military purposes, is now a common sight, and in certain districts not far from the city, aeroplanes are seen at any time, making speed in the air as quick and sure as the sportive flight of a swallow at a distance.

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Experts declare that when peace comes, aeroplanes will be used for ordinary purposes of life will bring many surprises.

"Play, what's the longest period of the sports on a day in the next?"

New Wharves for Vancouver

C.P.R. Making an Expenditure of a Million and a Half to Relieve Congestion

The Canadian Pacific has plans for wharves at Vancouver which will cost \$1,500,000. The wharves are to be built on the site of the old wharves, and they are to be built on the site of the old wharves, and they are to be built on the site of the old wharves.

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P. W. STONE, Editor

So there will be no election this fall! The rumors of such an event are gradually dying down and are scarcely mooted at all in any of the papers and while anything may happen in the nature of a surprise (sprung from the Sifton government) yet here seems to be a tacit understanding that the thing is called off. The absence of the Hon. Chas. R. Mitchell in this vicinity for the past week should in itself re-assure politicians in this constituency that the thing is called off for the present at least.

How it came about that the election was on and off again almost instantaneously, will no doubt forever rest in the back of the heads of those who control such affairs. It is, however, hinted in the Calgary papers that Hon. A. L. Sifton took a trip to that city and the influential liberals of that place "shosed" him back to Edmonton and told him to mind his own business, that when they wanted an election they would let him know. Then too Dr. Michael Clark is said to have bolted at the suggestion of an election and threatened to jump over the fence if such an event is pulled off now. Neither of these reasons are in the least complimentary to the present Provincial government.

There are some who are inclined to think, however, that Hon. A. L. Sifton, who has been catering to the ladies in legislation, etc., etc., recently took it into his head that the ladies must have representation in the legislature, and for that reason an election was necessary. It is rather surprising that the Provincial government should so suddenly become so solicitous of the welfare of the ladies, when until the popular cry for woman suffrage became so insistent, the ladies of Alberta were never taken into consideration at all, except in so far as they could influence the vote of their husbands and sons.

It would sound in the face of these facts much more consistent to The Mail if the Calgary papers had reported that Hon. A. L. Sifton while on his visit to Calgary, had had his hair pulled by a few of the most influential ladies of that city and sent back to Edmonton with the admonition that now that they had the right of the franchise, they would let him know when they wanted an election.

There is no doubt but that some of the ladies of this constituency would love to get a yank at

Hon. C. R. Mitchell's hair if they could. For months and months in the year by his non-attention to the roads of his constituency these ladies have virtually been kept prisoners in their own homes. They have been forced to spend their pin money for "quick" medicines and dope that left them ten times worse off than they had never taken it, they have been forced to mope and grow morose between the four walls of their own homes just because the neglect of the roads have precluded the idea of their ever venturing out, and for these things the ladies will be asked to be thankful and vote for a continuance of this state of affairs.

The Provincial government has spent scarcely anything in this constituency except what it was forced to since it came into power. It will not do so should it be elected again, because it has become so puffed up with its own importance that it considers itself above the people, and not the servant of the people as it really is. It has been too long in power and were the barnacles scraped off, nothing but a bare opposition would remain.

But there is not to be an election this fall, so the matter rests for a while.

That th Mother Country should take a leaf out of the book of Canada's method of dealing with returned and disabled soldiers is the gist of an article appearing in The London Daily Chronicle, the leading Liberal journal of the Imperial Capital. In the article, which is given the most prominent place in the journal, many laudatory remarks are indulged in, and at among others is the statement: "We may learn much from the admirable system which has been established by the Dominion Government."

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In conclusion he states: "It would be an excellent thing if we had a similar system to this, and based upon the same sound principles, established in these islands."

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Sunday, Nov. 5th, Octave of all Saints, Holy Communion and sermon at 11 a.m. at the Church of The Blessed Virgin.

Among the more recent purchasers of Ford cars this week were Wm. S. Pollock of Gem, and Paul Lavelle of Majorville. The little old Fords are rambling along.

Mr. Davis, manager of the Indiana Boys farm has purchased the W. Vanderburg Overland car.

McKee & Berry have secured a real lady clerk to take charge of the confectionary, toy, fever goods and tobacco department of their store, Mrs. Baker of Medicine Hat.

The N. P. U. club is in need of more members, and its president announces that married ladies are accepted at its meeting at the Alberta hotel on Tuesday of next week.

Rev. W. S. Brookes will take as his subject on Sunday morning "The Native Land of Jesus," and in the evening "The Great Unknown."

Mrs. Harvey Davies who has been spending a month or so visiting in Calgary, returned home to the ranch on Monday of this week.

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NOTICE

If the lady who was seen to-day from the Red Cross meeting on Friday afternoon, a silver thimble will kindly return same to Mrs. John Norden or The Mail office there will be no further trouble.

\$20 REWARD

Strayed from the premises of N. D. Ferguson, n.w. 1/4 sec 15, tp 23, range 14, one white-faced cow with calf, branded on right shoulder; one red three-year-old heifer with calf, same brand; also one two-year-old red heifer with calf, branded on left hip.

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Maybe you haven't noticed it, but the fellow who never attends a church can tell you the feelings of the fellow who does.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Vanderburg and family left on Tuesday's train to take up their residence in Calgary. Mr. Vanderburg is now employed with the Strong & Dowler Grain Commission house.

Phil. Lezie, manager of the Alberta-Pacific elevator there, will move into the Harris residence recently occupied by W. Vanderburg.

At a meeting of the Red Cross Society held last Friday afternoon Mrs. John Norden was elected president. Mrs. Norden will doubtless make an excellent official in this capacity.

R. C. Hunter returned this week from a visit to Dakota and Saskatchewan, and is now a stronger booster for Bassano than ever. He says this is the only place he knows where there is any money.

Mortgage Sale of Valuable Farm Property

Under and by virtue of the Powers of Sale provided by the Land Titles Act, under a certain mortgage which will be produced at the time of the sale.

There will be offered for sale by public auction at the Court House in the Town of Bassano in the Province of Alberta, on Thursday the 30th day of November 1916, at the hour of 11:30 o'clock in the forenoon, the following property, namely:

Lot 19, in Block 21, according to a plan of part of the Town of Bassano, of record in the Land Titles Office for the South Alberta Land Registration District as Plan 3134, A. C. Bassano.

Terms of the sale to be 20 per cent cash at the time of the sale, and the balance to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitor.

The above property will be offered for sale subject to a cash reserve: bid and two from all encumbrances, save taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that the above property assumes about four thirds from the post office and consists of one lot with a two-story frame dwelling and large 14-acre tract.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to James Power & Jaydon, Mortgage Bank Building, Calgary, Alberta.

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Coupelet - 695
Town car - 780
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